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Examiner Amini: As per the attached I would like to set up a personal interview for the above application. A non-extendable response/appeal is due on or before February 3, 2005. Please give me a call as soon as possible. Thank you.

Ken Berner

703-535-7054

COMMENTS:

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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/879,958 First Named Applicant: KAZUO SANO
 Examiner: JAYDIA A. AMINI Art Unit: 2672 Status of Application: PENDING

Tentative Participants:

(1) KENNETH BERNER (2) _____
 (3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: ANY TIME

Proposed Time: _____ (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) [] Telephonic (2) Personal (3) [] Video ConferenceRECEIVED
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Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rej.</u>	<u>Claim 1</u>	<u>McGregor</u>	[]	[]	[]
(2) <u>Rej.</u>	<u>1-4,6-26</u>	<u>Tsukuda</u>	[]	[]	[]
(3) _____	_____	_____	[]	[]	[]
(4) _____	_____	_____	[]	[]	[]

[] Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.
 NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

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Kenneth M. Berner
 Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Examiner/SPE Signature

KENNETH M. BERNER
 Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

37,093

Registration Number, if applicable

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